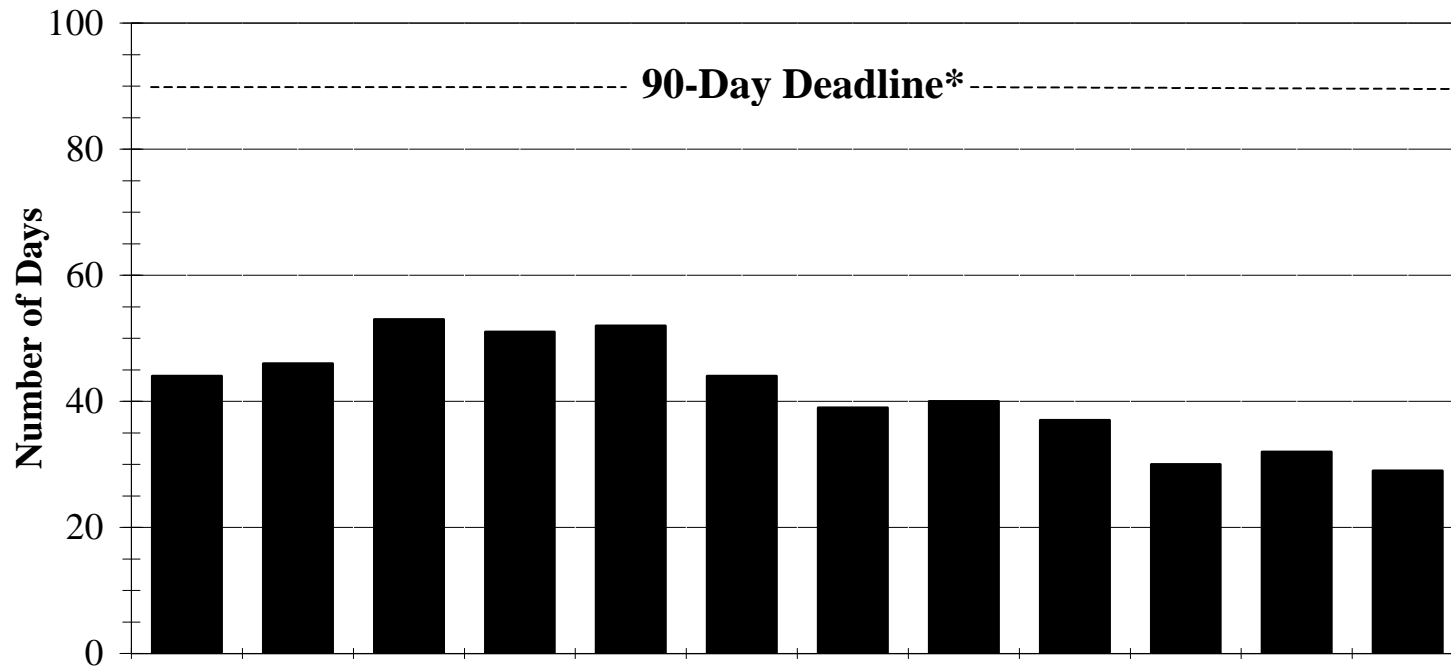


# Office of Water Management

## Wastewater Facility Construction Permits

### Median Number of Days to Issue Final Decisions



Applications	Jan '00	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Totals
Median # of Days to Issue	44	46	53	51	52	44	39	40	37	30	32	29	0
#Final Decisions Past Deadline	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
#Applications Received	60	83	98	66	91	81	86	85	73	88	69	61	941
#Final Decisions	79	37	120	84	78	102	99	82	113	83	90	79	1046
Applications Pending	163	209	187	169	182	161	153	156	116	121	100	82	

\* HEA 1919, effective July 1, 1999, reduced the allowable time frame for IDEM review of wastewater construction permit applications from 120 days to 90 days.

Under 327 IAC 3-2.1-3, sanitary sewer extensions do not require a permit from IDEM if the plans are prepared by a professional engineer, submitted to and reviewed by a local publicly-owned sewer authority, and meet all state water pollution control rules and if the local authority then notifies IDEM. Similarly, under 327 IAC 3-2-4 (11-13), repairs, replacements, modifications, or additions of equipment for an existing municipal or industrial water pollution treatment/control facility do not require a permit if they are not made to treat a new influents, or if there is no increase in the capacity of the facility. These rules became effective June 17, 1999, and their subsequent impact is reflected in the decreasing numbers of applications pending.